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We Move an Adjournment.

When we read what Beckham said

About the State-house proposition,

We thought, of course, the solons

great

Would have the welfare of the

State

And early rise and sit up late,

And with the Capitol Commission

Would find a site and then agree

And let the matter die.

They've hunted up and hunted down

Across and through that skimmed-

milk town;

They've hunted for the Hunt(ed)

site,

Up hill and down and all around—

The site's in sight but can't be

found.

And yet they're in the same sad

plight;

They're in before the Hunt site sight

Was ever in their eye.

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will be held Saturday afternoon at 2

o'clock, at Hotel Latham.

## NEW ZEALAND HAS GEYSER.

Great Phenomenon Which Has Existed at Rotorua for About Two Years.

One of the wonders of the earth is the gigantic geyser at Rotorua, New Zealand, known as "Waimangu." It made its appearance about two years ago and is situated near the one-time famous pink and white terraces of Rotomahana, whose beauties were swept completely out of existence in the terrific eruption of 1886. The crater out of which the geyser issues is fully half an acre in extent and of enormous depth. When in eruption the whole of the gigantic funnel is filled with a huge column of black, boiling mud and stones that shoots in the air to a height of nearly 1,000 feet, while the cloud of steam which accompanies it rises in calm weather several thousand feet.

To see it in eruption is said to be the sight of a lifetime. The awful force manifested by the ejection of the vast body of water and stones, the terrific roar of steam and huriling rocks add to the weird grandeur of the phenomenon. Waimangu is really located in the center of the marvelous hot lakes and thermal springs region, Rotorua district, the tourist or sight-seer being conveyed thither in a few hours by train from Auckland.

Pools and springs of every degree of heat are to be found in the neighborhood. Some are boiling caldrons, others are spluttering pits of mud and sulphur, sending up clouds of steam and sulphurous fumes, while others again are of the clearest green or deepest, pure blue, beautiful beyond comparison.

## "MALINGERING" IN NAVY.

Shamming Illness Not Common Now—Man Who Feigned Insanity and the Result.

"Malingering," remarked a naval officer the other day, according to the Washington Star, "is not nearly so common in the navy as it used to be, but every once in a while we have men feign illness for the purpose of evading duty or securing a change of station. One of the worst cases I ever heard of was that of an electrician stationed at the Mare island navy yard. He had been court-martialed for various offenses and sentenced to be dishonorably discharged. In order, however, to leave the service under more favorable auspices and so obtain a pension he simulated insanity and acted the part to the queen's taste. He said that people were trying to poison him and went into violent contortions when approached. As he could not be held by ropes it was necessary to put him in irons. In one of his paroxysms he clamored for a live snake to eat and would be satisfied with nothing else. Suspecting that he was shamming, a tame snake was borrowed and offered to him, but as he gave every evidence of eating it the owner of the snake refused to allow the test to go any further and the reptile was carried away. For the next ten days medical dietary treatment was administered with the result that the 'patient' finally owned up that he had been shamming, with the remark that he couldn't stand the bread and water and salts given him by the doctor any longer."

## Good Enough for a Horse.

An English tourist was being driven on a jaunting car through the Donegal highlands and after a time the results of his observation came to the surface in the following query: "Driver, I notice that when you speak to your friends whom you meet in the road you invariably do so in Irish, but when you address your horse you do so in English. How is this?" To which came the retort: "Musha now thin. Isn't English good enough for him?"

## COASTING ACCIDENT.

Double Decker Runs Into a Hack Near L. & N. Depot.

In a coasting accident Tuesday night Henry D. Wallace, Jr., got one of his feet pretty badly hurt. He was coming down college hill on a double decker, with several other parties, when they ran into a pair of horses attached to a hack. The animals were thrown and one of them stepped on Mr. Wallace's foot. Two other coasters were also slightly injured.

## C. A. THOMPSON DIES SUDDENLY AT HOT SPRINGS

Went There a Week Ago for Course of Treatment.

## BODY EXPECTED TO-DAY.

Was a Prominent, Wealthy Citizen, Esteemed by all who Knew Him.

Mr. Charles A. Thompson died at Hot Springs, Ark., suddenly Monday night, at the Waukesha Hotel. He left here on Feb. 1, at the same time that his daughter, Mrs. Frank H. Bassett, and children left for Florida. A day or two later his son-in-law left for Oklahoma City. Mr. Thompson lived with his daughter and the family all left about the same time and the house was temporarily closed.

Mr. Thompson was not ill when he left home, though he had not been in robust health for some years. Four or five years ago he retired from the hardware firm of Thompson & Meador and devoted his time to the care of his large property interests.

Charlie Thompson, as he was known to everybody, was a son of the late Mr. George O. Thompson, the pioneer furniture dealer. When he grew up he went into the hardware business, and conducted a very successful business for many years. He became a wealthy man and inherited additional property upon the death of his father.

He was married in the spring of 1871 to Miss Mamie Marshall, of Madison, Ind. His wife died in 1874, leaving one daughter, now the wife of Mr. F. H. Bassett. Besides his daughter, he leaves a sister at Pembroke, Mrs. Dr. J. R. Paine, and other relatives who live in other states.

Personally he was a man of quick intelligence, ready wit and a sunny disposition. He was an entertaining and genial companion, a most agreeable conversationalist and a gentleman universally esteemed.

The remains will arrive here some time today and the funeral will probably take place to-morrow. The arrangements have not yet been completed. He will be buried with the honors of the Elks lodge, of which order he was a member.

He was about 63 years of age and a native of Hopkinsville.

## MAJ. JOHN PHELPS

Lies Critically Ill From Stroke of Paralysis.

Maj. John Phelps was found lying unconscious in his room Monday at noon, from stroke of paralysis. His apartments are on Court street and he was seen to enter his room Sunday evening. As he roomed alone, no one saw him until noon Monday. Mr. Gus Tandy in passing heard his labored breathing and went in to investigate. He found Maj. Phelps lying across his bed with his clothing on except his coat. The supposition is that he was stricken the night before and had been prostrated for something like sixteen hours when found.

His son, Mr. Hugh R. Phelps, was sent for and physicians were hastily summoned and every effort was made to restore him to consciousness.

All day Tuesday he remained unconscious and yesterday was in a gradually sinking condition. His physicians hold out no hope for his recovery, and the end may come at any time.

Maj. Phelps is a son of the late Hiram A. Phelps, one of Hopkinsville's distinguished lawyers of 20 years ago. He was in partnership with his father until the latter's death. He was born in this city in 1845 and has lived here all his life.

## For Sale

Cottage on South Campbell street, with five rooms, hall, kitchen, two porches, outhouses, cistern, &c. Apply to J. W. DOWNER.

## CAUGHT BY THE GRIP. RELEASED BY PE-RU-NA.



LA GRIPPE is epidemic catarrh. It spares no class or nationality. The cultured and the ignorant, the aristocrat and the pauper, the natives and the classes are alike subject to la grippe. None are exempt—all are liable.

Have you the grip? Or, rather, has the grip got you? Grip is well named. The original French term, la grippe, has been shortened by the busy American to read "grip." Without intending to do so a new word has been coined that exactly describes the case. As if some hideous giant with awful Gurr had clutched us in its fatal clasp. Men, women, children, whole towns and cities are caught in the baneful grip of a terrible monster.

The following letters speak for themselves as to the efficacy of Peruna in cases of la grippe or its after effects.

After Effects of La Grippe Eradicated by Pe-ru-na.

Mrs. Fred Weinberger, Westerly, Albany County, N. Y., writes:

"Several years ago I had an attack of la grippe which left my nerves in a prostrated condition. Then I had another attack of la grippe which left me worse. I had tried three good physicians but all in vain. I gave Peruna a trial. In a short time I was feeling better and now I am as well as anyone."—Mrs. Fred Weinberger.

Hon. James R. Guile of Omaha.

Hon. James R. Guile is one of the oldest and most esteemed men of Omaha, Neb. He has done much to make it

what it is, serving on public boards a number of times. He endorses Peruna in the following words:

"I am 63 years old, am hale and hearty, and Peruna has helped me attain it. Two years ago I had la grippe—my life was despaired of. Peruna saved me."—J. R. Guile.

## A Relative of Abraham Lincoln.

Mr. Silas S. Lincoln, who resides at 913 1/2 Street, N. W., Washington, D. C., has the honor of being third cousin to Abraham Lincoln. He writes:

"I had la grippe five times before using your medicine. Four years ago I began the use of Peruna, since which time I have not been troubled with that disease. I can now do as much work at my desk as I ever could in my life. I have gained more than ten pounds in weight."—S. S. Lincoln.

## Pe-ru-na Not Only Cured La Grippe but Benefited the Whole System.

Miss Alice M. Dressler, 1318 N. Bryant Ave., Minneapolis, Minn., writes:

"Last spring I suffered from la grippe and was partially cured, but she had after effects remained through the summer and somehow I did not get strong as I was before. One of my college friends who was visiting me asked me to try Peruna and I did so and found it all and more than I had expected. It not only cured me of the catarrh but restored me to perfect health, built up the entire system and brought a happy feeling of buoyancy which I had not known for years."—Alice M. Dressler.

## An Actress' Testimonial.

Miss Jean Cowgill, Griswold Opera House, Troy, N. Y., is the leading lady with the Ambrey Stock Co. She writes the following:

"During the past winter of 1901, I suffered for several weeks from a severe attack of grippe, which left a serious catarrhal condition of the throat and head.

"Some one suggested Peruna. As a last resort, after wasting much time and money on physicians, I tried the remedy faithfully, and in a few weeks was as well as ever."—Jean Cowgill.

## A Southern Judge Cured.

Judge Horatio J. Goss, Hartwell, Ga., writes:

"Some five or six years ago I had a very severe spell of grippe, which left me with systemic catarrh. A friend advised me to try your Peruna which I did, and was immediately benefited and cured. The third bottle completed the cure."—H. J. Goss.

"If you do not derive prompt and satisfactory results from the use of Peruna, write at once to Dr. Hartman, giving a full statement of your case and he will be pleased to give you his valuable advice gratis.

Address Dr. Hartman, President of The Hartman Sanitarium, Columbus, O.

## BICKERS' SHOE STORE IS BURNED.

Fire Originated In Cellar at 11 O'clock Monday Night.

## LOSS IS NOT LARGE.

Insurance of \$1,500 on Stock, and Building is Fully Covered.

The shoe store of W. H. Bickers, in the Phoenix Building, on Ninth Street, was burned Monday night about 11:20 o'clock. Flames were discovered by Mr. L. A. Johnson issuing from the grating of the cellar and he turned in an alarm. The flames were confined to the cellar, but the stock above was practically destroyed by smoke and water. The stock is estimated at \$3,000 and was insured for \$1,500 with Campbell & Campbell. Another policy \$500 with Winfree & Winfree is in an uncertain condition and may not be in force.

The building was owned by Mr. W. T. Cooper. His loss is about \$800, fully covered.

The fire was probably of incendiary origin. The first persons to reach the scene say the door was unlocked and the theory is advanced that the lock had been picked by thieves, who secured what plunder they wanted and then set fire to the building to conceal the robbery. One or two pairs of shoes were found in the rear of the store, where they had been dropped on the ground.

Mr. and Mrs. Bickers board at Mr. W. A. Adcock's, on Liberty street. They were notified of the fire and arrived after the fire had been put out.

Mr. Bickers began business ten months ago, and had appeared to be doing a successful business on a small scale.

## Mrs. Armistead's At Home.

Mrs. T. D. Armistead gave a reception yesterday afternoon at her home on South Main street. She was assisted in receiving by several other ladies. In spite of the inclement weather it was a very pleasant affair.

The entire southwest is suffering from one of the worst winter storms in its history. A blizzard has been raging in Texas for two days, and cattlemen estimate their damage at a large sum. Arkansas is suffering from the most severe sleet experienced in recent years. The cold spell is proving disastrous in the region south of Nashville. Telegraph and telephone communication is crippled over a wide area.

## DR. FENNER'S Kidney AND Backache Cure

Also Purifies the Blood. Don't become discouraged. There is a cure for you. If necessary write Dr. Fenner. He has spent a lifetime curing just such cases as yours. All consultations FREE.

## Lo-Co-Moter Ataxia. Now in Good Health.



Dr. M. M. Fenner, Fredonia, N. Y.

Dear Sir:—After a sickness of more than five years, I was tempted to try your Kidney and Backache Cure. In the mean time I had tried or been under about 20 doctors care at the beginning of my trouble. It was thought to be only a local one, but as time wore on I became worse, so that at last I could not stand on my feet. Then my arms and hands became useless. But at last after a very long time the use of both came back to me so that I could walk a little with the aid of crutches. The Doctors helped me to this point and no further, and for 24 years I kept in the same condition.

Through the use of your Kidney and Backache Cure I am now in good health. Will say, the doctors told me—all of them—that there was no cure for me, because I was then suffering from Lo-Co-Moter Ataxia.

I Remain yours Respectfully,

W. R. DREW,

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